

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Roland CHERIF-CHEIKH

Serial No. 10/607,064

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IMPLANTABLE INTRALUMINAL DEVICE

FURTHER PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 7, 2003

Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action, please further amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.